

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

(Docket No. 203.003-US)

As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the inventions described and claimed in the specification attached hereto and entitled:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ANALYTE SENSING

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to herein.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to the examination of this application in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.56.

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